IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Norfolk Division

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v. Criminal Action No. 2:22cr123

JAMIQUE MAYS,

Defendant.

## **ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court on its own initiative to set trial dates and pretrial deadlines. By its March 27, 2023, Order, the Court continued generally the trial due to defense counsel's illness. The Court found that commencing trial on the previously scheduled trial date would "result in a miscarriage of justice," "would unreasonably deny the defendant . . . continuity of counsel," and "would deny counsel for the defendant . . . the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation." 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(B)(i), (ii), (iv). Accordingly, the Court found that the ends of justice served by setting a trial date beyond April 25, 2023, outweighed the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. *See id.* § 3161(h)(7). The Court directed the parties to confer about their joint availability, and the parties have since contacted chambers with possible trial dates.

The Court now sets this case for a jury trial on August 9–11, 2023. Trial will begin each day at 9:00 a.m.

Further, the Court sets the following pretrial deadlines:

1. Within fourteen (14) days of this Order, the following motions are due: motions (1) challenging the sufficiency of the indictment, information, warrant, or violation notice; (2) raising any issues of venue or jurisdiction; (3) for discovery or production; (4) to suppress evidence; (5) for any mental examination; (6) objecting to use by the opposing party of any

particular evidence known by a party that may be subject to pretrial ruling; and (7) raising any

other pretrial matter. Response briefs are due within fourteen (14) days of the filing of the motion,

and rebuttal briefs are due three (3) days thereafter.

2. All other motions are due twenty-one (21) days before trial, unless a party shows

good cause for filing later.

3. Subpoenas are due fourteen (14) days before trial.

4. Proposed voir dire questions and jury instructions are due seven (7) days before

trial. The parties shall email their proposed voir dire questions and jury instructions to Chambers.

The parties must submit jury instructions both with and without citations. The proposed voir dire

questions and jury instructions shall be typed in 12-point Times New Roman font using normal

capitalization. The parties shall not capitalize all of the proposed voir dire questions and jury

instructions.

5. If the parties wish to schedule a hearing on a motion, they should contact Chambers.

It is so ORDERED.

Let the Clerk send a copy of this Order to all counsel of record.

Date: <u>5 April 2023</u>

Richmond, VA

John A. Gibney, Jr.
Senior United States District Judge

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